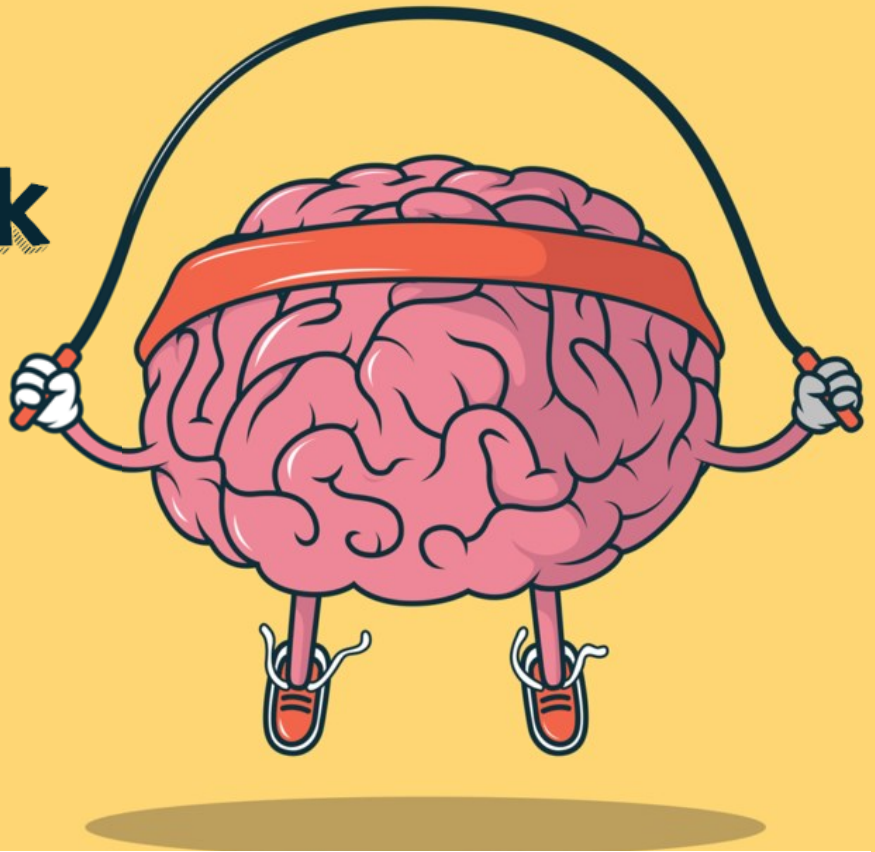


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**This week
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Literacy

In our writing lessons this week, the children will use paragraphs with exciting sentence starters, particularly adverbs. In their writing the children will reflect on the long weekend and be able to understand how and why we use paragraphs in our writing. At home, encourage your child to use exciting sentence starters from the books they use in their own writing. Words they can use are: 'Rapidly', 'In the blink of an eye' and 'To my utter amazement'.

Maths

In Maths this week, the children will be studying how probability is expressed. We will understand that probability is a measure of the likelihood of an event to occur. We will then explore the different ways that we can express probability. We will learn how to represent probability as a fraction and as a percentage. At home, encourage your child to practise expressing probability. They could do this through a fun dice game working out the probability of throwing a one on a 6 sided die. They could then explore the probability on a nine sided die.

Science

In Science this week, the children will continue their explorations of the weather. This week we will study precipitation. We will study how precipitation is water released from clouds in the form of rain, freezing rain, sleet, snow, or hail. Precipitation is the main way atmospheric water returns to the surface of the Earth. We will conduct a science experiment into precipitation. After the experiment we will examine our results and then review and consider what we would do differently next time. At home, encourage your child to conduct further research into the water cycle.